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REMARKS

This is in response to the Office Action dated November 1, 2005.

Only claim 5 has been amended. In particular, claim 5 has been amended merely to address and overcome the Section 112 issue raised by the Office Action dated November 1, 2005. There are no art rejections. Thus, no new issues have been raised, and this amendment should be entered.

All claims are now in condition for allowance. If any minor matter remains to be resolved, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned with regard to the same.

Respectfully submitted,

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